



## **CITY OF RALEIGH**

### **REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS**

**RFP #: 02262016**

**TITLE: Duke Energy Center for the Performing Arts Economic Impact Study**

**ISSUE DATE:** February 26, 2016

**ISSUING DEPARTMENT: Raleigh Convention and Performing Arts Complex**

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## Summary

The City of Raleigh is seeking to engage a qualified consulting firm to conduct an Economic Impact Study for the Duke Energy Center for the Performing Arts (DECPA). DECPA (215,000 square feet) is home to the North Carolina Symphony, North Carolina Theater, North Carolina Opera, Piedmont Council of Traditional Music, and the Carolina Ballet.

The study will be used to support the efforts of the City and will serve as a defensible foundation for communication with the general public, media, elected officials, and community stakeholders about the critical role of the DECPA to the local and regional economy. In addition to the direct economic benefits the study should also identify non-direct economic and community benefits.

The RFP process shall adhere to the following schedule:

RFP Process	Date and time	
RFP posted		February 26, 2016
Contractor's written questions due	4:00 PM	March 11, 2016
City responses to contractor questions	4:00 PM	March 18, 2016
<b>RFP Due Date - Proposals due from contractors</b>	<b>4:00PM</b>	<b>April 1, 2016</b>

Note: All times shown as Eastern Standard Time (EST).

To Request the complete RFP please send your request to: [Barclay.Williams@raleighconvention.com](mailto:Barclay.Williams@raleighconvention.com)